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Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,

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APPROVAL—BONDS OF HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO, \$3,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 9, 1937.

The Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:

RE: Bonds of Hamilton County, Ohio, \$3,000.00.

I have examined the transcript of proceedings relative to the above bonds purchased by you. These bonds comprise part of an issue of tuberculosis sanatorium, Series F, bonds in the aggregate amount of \$160,000, of an authorization of \$2,000,000, dated December 15, 1931, bearing interest at the rate of 4½% per annum.

From this examination, in the light of the law under authority of which these bonds have been authorized, I am of the opinion that bonds issued under these proceedings constitute a valid and legal obligation of said county.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,

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PUBLIC UTILITIES AND APPURTENANCES, DEFINED—
MUNICIPALITIES MAY OWN, WHEN—MAY SUBMIT TO
ELECTORS A LEVY FOR GAS PLANT, ETC.

SYLLABUS:

1. *Under Sections 4 and 5 of Article XVIII of the Ohio Constitution, a municipality may properly acquire, construct, own, lease and*